

Nolan May Take Charge of Johnson's Training Camp; Burns and Langford Are Matched

BOARD GRANTS FIGHT PERMIT

Many Church and Civic Organizations Present to Register Protest.

LAST OBSTACLE REMOVED WHICH STAGGERS CROWD

Many Indignant Comments Are Voiced on Action of Police Commission.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—With but two dissenting votes, and without preliminary discussion, the permit for the forty-five-round battle on July 4 between Jeffries and Johnson was granted late this afternoon by the board of supervisors.

The board room was crowded with representatives of various church and civic organizations, who came primed with protests, but they did not get a chance to voice them, as the permit was advanced on the board's calendar and passed before they realized what had taken place. When they learned that the permit had been granted, they protested indignantly and left the room in a body.

By their action today the board of supervisors removed the last obstacle in the way of the promoters, who may now proceed with the erection of the arena with little fear of interference, as District Attorney Pickert has already announced that he will not seek to prevent the contest.

When the board assembled the room was crowded with partisans of both sides. Besides the representatives of state and city church federations, a number of women were present in behalf of clubs and reform organizations.

Rising quietly, John L. Herget, chairman of the police committee, which recommended the granting of the permit, moved that "on account of the large number of bids which were to be opened by the board, the matter of the permit be advanced on the calendar and taken up immediately." In making the motion, he said that he was led to take this step for the "convenience of the large number of people who had gathered to discuss the matter."

In the buzz of excitement which followed his motion this part of his utterance seemed to be lost on the protesters, and the motion was put and carried before the dazed representatives of reform realized that they had lost their chance to be heard in protest. They fled out of the room, voicing indignant comments on the action of the board.

Supervisors Murdock and Cutten, hold-over members, cast the two negative votes.

College Baseball.

At New Haven—Yale, freshmen, 6; Harvard, freshmen, 6.

BILLY NOLAN MAY MANAGE JOHNSON

Johnson Will Send Manager Little Back to Chicago in Near Future.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—That Billy Nolan, formerly manager of Battling Nelson, will eventually assume command of affairs at the Jack Johnson camp in the near future, is a story that is receiving considerable credence at the beach these days. The story is in fact backed up by a fight that took place between Manager George Little and Sig Hart, who worked at the camp. As gossip goes, there has been anything but harmony between Little and Hart, and it finally culminated in a physical contest in which Little is said to have stretched Hart out on the road, while the members of the camp were playing baseball. There was an end to the affair only when Johnson gave Little a tongue lashing that he will long remember.

Outside of that, it is pretty generally understood that Little has been shorn of all real authority. Nolan, in fact, admitted that he has been indirectly approached on the subject of taking charge, and declared that if he is to become manager he must have full charge. Nolan's strength is also shown by the fact that he was instrumental in getting Billy Delaney installed as chief adviser at the Johnson camp for the balance of the training season.

The former handler of Nelson has been in and around San Francisco for several days, and it is believed that an announcement will be forthcoming in a short time of an important change at the beach. After the three days of strenuous work in the gymnasium, Johnson took something of a rest today. He was on the road this morning for twelve miles, but took to his automobile at the noon hour and until late in the afternoon was not seen at his quarters.

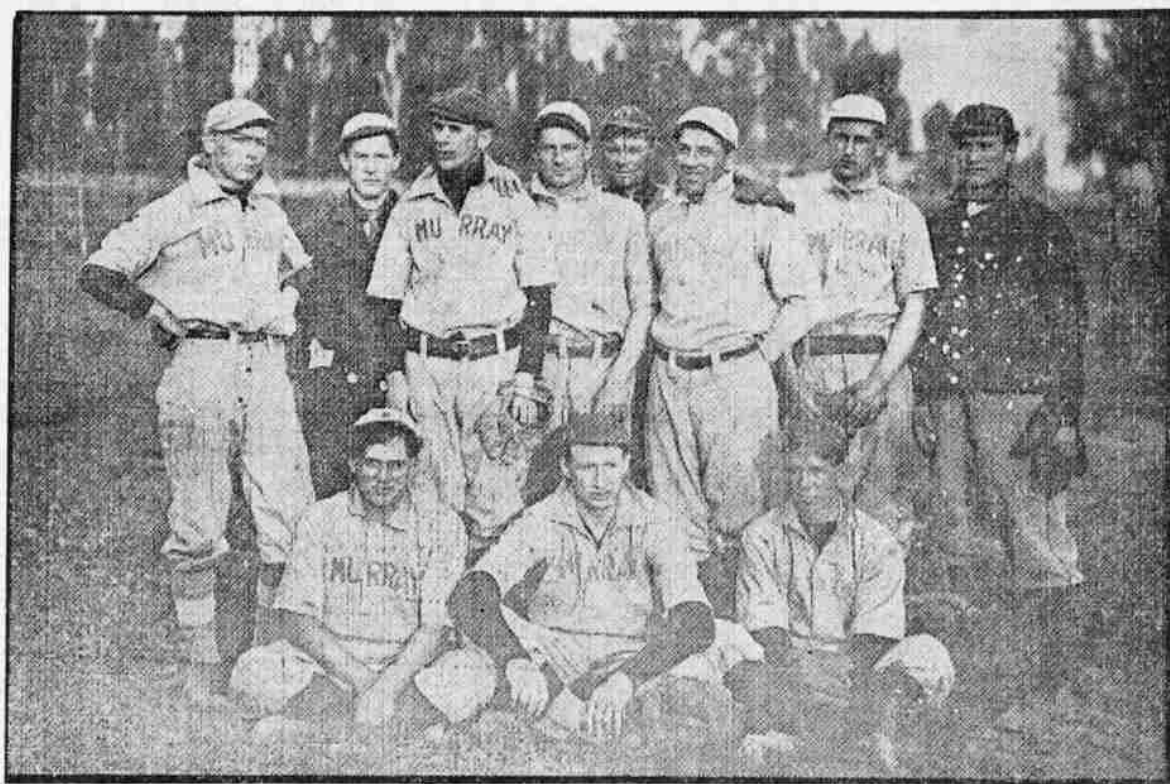
It is his intention to box again tomorrow, and after that there will come a rest until Saturday. Tex Rickard returned this afternoon from a trip to Ben Lomond. He declared that he left Jeffries in excellent condition. In spite of rumors to the contrary, he reiterated that he will referee the fight, as Jeffries and Johnson both insist that he act in that capacity.

HUYCK HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

CHICAGO, May 31.—Fred Huyck, the motorcycle rider, had a narrow escape from death yesterday at the Hawthorne track, when his rear tire blew out, throwing him clear across the track. The spill came in the second lap of a ten-mile handicap race just as Huyck reached the turn into the home stretch, going at a rate of about seventy-five miles an hour. When he went down in a cloud of dust, the spectators in the grandstand, among whom was his mother, started a rush for the scene of the accident.

His mother was one of the first to reach him after he got up, but he greeted her with a smile and assured her he was not hurt. Huyck established a new world's record of 215.45 for ten miles on a track. The former mark was 217, made by him at Detroit.

Frisco Gets Fight



ASPIRANTS FOR MURRAY BASEBALL TEAM. The first league game is to be played next Saturday, and the boys shown in the picture herewith are trying to make good.

JOHN LOUIS LEFT AT POST IN THIRD

OAKLAND, May 31.—Interesting sport was witnessed at Emeryville today, and most of the winners were well played. John Louis, favorite for the third, was practically left at the post and lost all chance. Edwin T. Fryer, an outsider, ran over the field the last quarter and won easily. Sir John, after getting away badly, made a great run and got up in time to win the fifth.

Summary: First race, six furlongs, selling—Zink and 98 (Gauguin), 3 to 5, won; Sir Fretful, 111 (Leeds), 20 to 1, second; Look-out, 109 (Leeds), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Littleton, Aunt Kim, lovely Mary, Lillian Ray, Circle and Hector finished as named.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Pretender, 111 (Leeds), 11 to 5, won; Charles Green, 111 (Taylor), 12 to 5, second; Onatassa, 114 (Borel), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. El Paso, Father Downey, Tom O'Malley and Luxurio finished as named.

Third race, mile, selling—Edwin T. Fryer, 111 (Lindhorst), 10 to 1, won; Tremor, 107 (Coburn), 6 to 1, second; Round and Round, 165 (Leeds), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:39 4-5. Beauman, John Louis and Lady Elizabeth finished as named.

Fourth race, six furlongs, purse—Balmia, 107 (Vesper), 5 to 1, won; Miss Roba, 92 (Gargan), 4 to 5, second; Oswald B. 39 (Buxton), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Mills and Redem finished as named.

Fifth race, mile and twenty yards, selling—Sir John, 107 (Coburn), 7 to 2, won; Hancock, 111 (Mentary), 15 to 1, second; McNally, 104 (Taylor), 60 to 1, third. Time, 1:41 3-5. Mossback, Directello, L. C. Ackerly, Buckhorn, Odd Rose and Sink Spring finished as named.

Sixth race, future course—Silver Stocking, 105 (Callaghan), 18 to 1, won; Reda, 89 (Gargan), 12 to 1, second; John 94 (Selben), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Billy Meyer, Fancull Hall, Lady Panchita, Doreington and Minnedocia also ran.

GOTCH AND ZBYSZKO MATCHED FOR TITLE

Pole Advises Countrymen Not to Wager Any Money on Result.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Frank Gotch of Iowa will defend the world's wrestling championship against Stanislaus Zbyszko of Poland in a finish catch-as-catch-can match at the Coliseum tomorrow night. It will be Gotch's first appearance here since he handily defeated Yusuf Maimoun in their championship bout more than a year ago. According to the promoters, the men will battle for a purse of \$25,000.

Zbyszko has won the right to battle for the world's title by his defeats of Mah-moud and other prominent wrestlers. He is the logical opponent for Gotch. Few enthusiasts concede Zbyszko a chance to win and the Pole has advised his countrymen not to bet on him. It is generally believed, however, that Gotch will have a hard fight to down his opponent in the required two falls. The Pole is conceded to be a master at the defensive game, and he has not been thrown since his arrival in this country. Gotch, on the other hand, is believed to possess a far wider knowledge of the game than his opponent. On sheer strength the Polish champion would be an easy winner, but Gotch's speed and speed are expected to offset this advantage. Both men are said to be in excellent condition.

TRIBUNE RACING CHART

OGDEN, Utah, Tuesday, May 31.—Sixth day. Weather clear. Track fast.

31 FIRST RACE—Three-eighths of a mile. 3-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$100.											
Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
8	Farusa	102	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3	1 nk Cory
17	Dora Payne	107	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 2	3 E. Smith
19	My Nurse	112	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 3	1 Nelson
1	Quickly	102	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2	4 C. Howard
...	Jack Lavin	116	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	6 Manders

At post 24 minutes. Off 2:25. Time—12, 24, 36 2-5. Start good. Won driving; second same. Winner—W. T. Jones's ch f 3 Yellow Tail—May N. Trained by R. Farley. Farusa outran first part, moved up with a rush in run home and under punishment outran Dora Payne at end. Latter away well on her stride, opened up a commanding lead first quarter, but was tiring at end. My Nurse ran her race.

32 SECOND RACE—Seven-eighths of a mile. 4-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$150.

Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
23	All Ablaze	109	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	1 Gaugel
8	Dorothy Ann	107	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2	1 Wallace
20	Wolfville	109	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 3	3 Kunz
18	M. Fountain	105	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 4	1 Manders
23	L. Rossmore	112	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	3 McCarthy
17	Salomy Jane	109	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	3 Rooney
21	Moyea	109	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	7 Morgan

At post 2:40. Off 2:49. Time—12 4-5, 25, 37 2-5, 50 3-5, 1:17 3-5, 1:31 2-5. Start good. Won easily; second driving. Winner—W. M. Glover's b g Lampighter—Irvingard. Trained by W. Glover. All Ablaze rushed to front half and was never in trouble thereafter. Dorothy Ann closed resolutely. Wolfville came from a long way back. Fountain tired.

33 THIRD RACE—Three-quarters of a mile. 4-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$150.

Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
24	Wildwood Bill	107	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	1 Manders
3	S. McGibbon	109	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3	3 Corey
16	Elder	112	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	3 Flynn
25	Black Domino	110	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1	3 C. Henry
23	Dr. Sherman	106	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 1	5 E. Smith
3	Usurper	109	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	10 Morgan

At post 3 minutes. Off 3:22. Time—12 2-5, 24 4-5, 36 3-5, 50 3-5, 1:03 3-5, 1:16 2-5. Start fair. Won driving; second same. Winner—Irwin Bros.' b g 4 Santello—Zalvader. Trained by A. Rick. Wildwood Bill raced Dr. Sherman into submission and had enough left to stall off the determined rush of Sam McGibbon. Latter slow to get going, came with a rush in run home. Elder closed stoutly from a poor beginning. Usurper stumbled on first turn, nearly upsetting rider.

34 FOURTH RACE—Three-quarters of a mile. 4-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$200.

Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
22	Gene Russell	116	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 Kunz
22	F. Lubbock	109	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1	1 Manders
...	E. M. Fry	116	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	3 Gaugel
...	Aquila	112	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 4	4 E. Smith

At post 11 minutes. Off 3:50. Time—12 2-5, 25, 37 2-5, 50 3-5, 1:03 3-5, 1:16 2-5. Start good. Won driving; place same. Winner—J. M. Pier's ch g 5 Russell—Gene. Trained by J. Neary. Gene Russell badly outran in early stages, moved up fast on stretch turn and under a vigorous ride won going away. Frank Lubbock had most every get up and was easily best of others. E. M. Fry had no excuses. Aquila could never get up.

35 FIFTH RACE—One-half mile. 4-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$150.

Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
...	Royal Stone	111	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4	4 VanDusen
18	Chanate	106	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3	2 E. Smith
7	Pelham	118	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2	3 Howard
12	Grasscuter	114	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3	1 Manders
...	Annie Wells	109	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2	5 Kunz
...	Seal Muff	116	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	left at post	1 Gaugel

At post 1 minute. Off 3:18. Time—12, 24 3-5, 36 3-5, 49 2-5. Start good for all but Seal Muff, which wheeled as barrier was released. Won driving; second same. Winner—O. Durkin's ch g 4 Royal Flush III—Palmstove. Royal Stone followed pace closely, made his run on far turn and under a drive through stretch out-gained Chanate. Latter away in motion had no excuses. Pelham ran his race. Anna Wells ran out on the turn.

36 SIXTH RACE—One mile. 4-year-olds and up. Selling. Purse \$150.

Ind.	Horses.	Wt.	St.	4	5	6	7	8	9	Str. Fin.	Jockey.
10	Sylvia U.	108	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 1	1 Wallace
...	Miss Naomi	107	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 3	2 Kunz
...	Buena	108	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3	3 Howard
...	Flying Dance	108	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2	1 Nelson

At post 3 minutes. Off 4:45. Time—1:44 2-5. Start good. Won handily; second same. Winner—C. P. Dye's ch m 2 Salvation—Yule. Trained by C. P. Dye. Jr. Sylvia rushed to front at flag fall and held her field safe at all stages. Miss Naomi outran in early stages, ran a good race for first out. Buena trailed her field to stretch turn, came with a rush in run home. Flying Dance stopped.

Police Commissioner Grants Permit to Promoters of the Jeffries Johnson 45-Round Fight

FAVORITES DRIVE IN THE LONGSHOTS

Many Upsets in the Dope Sheet at the Junction City Races.

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, May 31.—The longshots put all dope sheets and handicappers to the test at the races here this afternoon on the half-mile fair grounds track. Not one favorite saw the front at the wire, and those who followed favorites were a sorry looking lot after the last race was run. Five longshots and a second choice won.

In the first race for three-eighths mile Dora Payne, the 4 to 5 favorite, got away in the lead, but Farusa, 8 to 1 shot, made up three lengths in the stretch and nipped the favorite by a neck at the wire. Cory making a pretty ride. My Nurse showed.

Lord Rossmore was slated to win the second race for seven-eighths mile, but All Ablaze had been set afire by the hot sun and, taking the lead at the three-quarters, rolled home with Jockey Gaugel up, the favorite finishing fifth. Dorothy Ann beat Wolfville to the place by one length.

Wildwood Bill came across in the three-quarter mile, with Manders up. Sam McGibbon beat Elder, the 2 to 1 favorite, by three lengths. Usurper stumbled at the first turn, which put him out of the running.

Many thought that Frank Lubbock could win the fourth race, and he was backed down from 2 to 1 to 3 to 2, but the former price seemed right, as the horse was not there at the finish. Gene Russell taking the honors by half a length, with E. M. Fry showing. Kunz rode the winner, 4 to 1 shot.

Pelham and Grasscuter opened big favorites for the fifth race for the half-mile. Royal Stone, at 3 to 1, was the only second choice of the day to win. Van Dusen brought home the winner in a pretty stretch drive. Chanate outran place, Annie Wells took the outside track on the turn.

Sylvia U., 4 to 1 shot, won the mile, the last event of the card. Jockey Wallace got away first at the barrier and held the lead all the way, cantering in by one and a half lengths over Miss Naomi. Buena beat Flying Dance, the 3 to 2 favorite, by three lengths.

Ketchel's Car Burns Up.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Stanley Ketchel, the pugilist, narrowly escaped injury today when his touring car caught fire and was destroyed on the road to his headquarters at Woodlawn. The machine broke down in a rainstorm and Ketchel walked half a mile for new batteries. As he was placing them in the machine there was a violent explosion and the car was enveloped in flames. Ketchel said he paid \$500 for it.

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JEFFRIES FORGETS HIS BOXING GLOVES

Corbett Is Ready to Take Johnson Just for Charity Sake.

BEN LOMOND, Cal., May 31.—

Jeffries training camp today. Jeff all wrapped up in his new attire, and when the usual crowd of reporters came in to see the afternoon fight, they found that Jeffries had left Corbett was there to entertain the two ex-champions played in the morning and performed old-fashioned stunts, but soon Jeffries inking with his machine and had the gymnasium to himself the rest of the day. He did not clarify that his trip across the country was for charity, but would get into form and said that in a week he would be fit for speedy work. Jeffries was not had on a boxing for five days.

The conversational war between Johnson and Corbett waxed space. Corbett read an interview with Jeff in the morning papers in which Jeff was quoted as daring Corbett to fight him, the ex-champion even Corbett declared that he would not son for charity and would accept percent with which "he would monument for Johnson when Jeff through with him."

"I am willing to bet, old as I am, make him quit."

PAPKE WILL GIVE AWAY WEIGHT TO JIM

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 31.—Flyn and Billy Papke were made day to box twenty-five rounds. Vernon arena the afternoon of 5. They will meet at catch weights, will give the Pueblo fireman a stage of fifteen or twenty pounds.

Manager McCarey of the Pacific belt club will give another June Sam Langford and the winner night's ten-round bout between Ferguson of Houston and Jack Salinas, Cal. The latter pair class Naud pavilion.

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